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Overview

Kiran advises high-net worth individuals, multi-generational families, and owners of family entities with their tax planning and other wealth preservation needs. She handles sophisticated gift and generation-skipping transfer planning, and trusts and estates administration. Kiran has experience developing and implementing complex estate plans, including preparation of wills, revocable living trusts, qualified personal residence trusts, irrevocable life insurance trusts, and grantor retained annuity trusts.

Kiran has also advised state-chartered private trust companies on matters relating to governance, beneficiary relations, and trust-related matters, and has experience setting up private foundations.

Practices

- Private Clients, Trusts and Estates
- Estate Planning
- Probate, Estate Settlement and Trust Administration
- Wealth Transfer Strategies
- Tax Exempt Organizations and Charitable Planning
- Family Office Services

Credentials

Education

- Georgetown University Law Center, LL.M., Taxation, 2014
- Seattle University School of Law, J.D., 2013
CALI Award: Trusts & Estates Clinic and Estate Planning
Kaplen Foundation Scholarship
- University of Washington, B.A., Political Science, 2008

Bar Admissions

- Illinois
- Oregon
- Washington

Professional Memberships

- Chicago Bar Association
- Chicago Estate Planning Council
- American Bar Association, Section on Taxation, Real Property and Probate Section

Languages Spoken & Fluency

- Punjabi, Fluent

Insights

09.24.2021

Event

Drafting and Administering Trusts Under the Illinois Trust Code – Part 2

07.07.2021

News Release

Schiff Hardin Continues Expansion of Trusts and Estates Group with Kevin Matz in New York, Kiran Uppal in Chicago

Publications

- “Construing and Modifying Wills and Irrevocable Trusts,” (co-author) Litigating Disputed Estates, Trusts, Guardianships and Charitable, Illinois Institute for Continuing Legal Education (2020 Edition)

Speeches & Presentations

- “Incapacitated Settlers: Trustee Duties, Planning Options, and More,” ISBA Trusts & Estates Section, Webinar (Sep. 24, 2021)